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THE HERALD REACHES MORE HOMES THAN ANY OTHER SALT LAKE NEWSPAPER.

TERRORS OF TORNADES.

Detroit Badly Damaged Yesterday.

A STORM AT LOUISVILLE.

Dozens of Houses in Ruins as a Result of Its Fury.

Cleveland Also Suffers from Roreas' Blasts—The Collapse of a Building in Chicago Attended with Fatal Results.

DETROIT, May 23.—A terrific wind and rain storm broke over the city this morning. It continued to increase in violence. At noon it was blowing sixty miles an hour. The streets were almost completely covered with broken shade trees. Nearly all the telegraph and telephone wires are down and it is feared that much damage is done throughout Michigan and many wrecks on the lake. It is known that great damage resulted at Adrian.

At Lehi, Mich., the storm amounted to a tornado. Barns were blown down, orchards destroyed, and crops leveled to the ground. The highways between Adrian and Tecumseh are almost impassable, being obstructed by overturned trees.

At Romulus buildings were blown down, windows broken and trees uprooted. Many buildings were unroofed in the vicinity of Dundee. At Holly the opera house was unroofed and half the building wrecked.

TERRIFIC WIND STORM.

Four Men Instantly Killed and Many Injured at Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, O., May 23.—A terrific wind storm struck this city at 9 o'clock this morning. Four men were instantly killed and many injured in numerous casualties. A scaffold was blown from its foundations and resulted in the serious injury of four men, one of whom will die. A portion of the plate department of the Cleveland rolling mill under construction gave way and a number of men employed on the structure were killed instantly and one fatally hurt. A two-story frame house was blown down, and John Cole was buried in the ruins.

At Findlay the loss by damaged buildings will reach \$50,000. At Hume station fifteen houses were blown from their foundations, causing a loss of \$30,000.

STORM AT LOUISVILLE.

Houses Unroofed, Small Buildings Blown Away and Trees Uprooted.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 23.—Early this morning a storm from the southwest struck this city, doing much damage. It first unroofed the Louisville and Nashville round house in the outskirts, and then sweeping through the city, created considerable destruction. As a result of its fury several small houses are in ruins, dozens of houses unroofed and many chimneys overturned, and the streets filled with wreckage of roofs, uprooted trees and twisted wires. The greatest amount of damage was done in the squares bounded by Campbell, Hancock, Broadway and Green streets. No lives are known to be lost and few of the injuries received are serious.

NORTHERN PACIFIC COLLISION.

A Bad Wreck Occurs Near Sank Rapids, Minnesota.

MINNEAPOLIS, May 23.—A bad collision is reported on the Northern Pacific road near Little Falls, Minn., early this morning, in which the postal clerk, engineer and fireman lost their lives. Three trains on the road, due here this morning, were abandoned.

A special from Sank Rapids confirms the accident but says no one was killed, though a number of train men and passengers were injured in a collision between a passenger train and a Winnipeg freight. It occurred at Watch, near Sank Rapids.

COLLAPSE OF A BUILDING.

Five Men Buried in the Ruins, One of Whom Is Killed.

CHICAGO, May 23.—Union building, until recently occupied by the Associated Press, and the Oriental building, adjacent, are being demolished to make room for the Stock Exchange building. This morning, just after the start of the demolition, a heavy load of material had been working on them, one of the walls of the Oriental building went down with a crash, burying five men in the ruins. One unknown man was killed and others were more or less seriously hurt.

TESTING DAIRY QUALITIES.

The Jerseys So Far Ahead, Both in Milk and Percentage of Butter.

CHICAGO, May 23.—The test of the dairy qualities of Jersey, Guernsey and short horn cows is being made at the World's fair, with twenty-five cows of each breed. So far the Jersey is far ahead, both in amount of milk and the percentage of butter and cheese; questions of amount of food consumed and loss or gain of flesh are yet to be determined.

Mammoth Tobacco Factory Burned.

WINSTON, N. C., May 23.—P. H. Hanes & Co.'s mammoth plug and twist tobacco factory was gutted by fire this afternoon, as were also the warehouses and brick building of P. S. Reynolds, tobacco manufacturer. Loss, \$700,000; insurance, \$150,000. Several firemen were overcome by the heat and several painfully injured by falling walls.

Wind Storm in Indiana.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 23.—A wind storm passed over the city early this morning. It did much damage. In the eastern and southern portions of the state the wind exhibited the greatest force. At Elwood the roof of the American Tin Plate works was blown off.

A Michigan Town Partially Burned.

DELIDING, Mich., May 23.—Fire this morning, under a strong wind, destroyed \$75,000 worth of property. Insurance, \$75,000.

A Tornado in Canada.

TORONTO, Ont., May 23.—A tornado

CALIFORNIA GRAIN CROP.

Reports Show That It Is Badly Damaged and Will Fall Short.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 23.—Reports of the showing of the grain crop of California indicate material damage from unfavorable weather conditions. Early in the season excessive rains and floods in the northern part of the state destroyed much new sown grain and reduced the usual wheat average in that section at least 30 per cent. There was a promise, however, of an enormous yield in the upper San Joaquin valley, and southern California and good reason to expect that the production in the state as a whole would be an average; but continued drought has rendered the conditions unfavorable in the south as well as the north. Some counties report prospect of excess over last year, while in others the deficit is expected to be heavy. Recently the weather has been somewhat more favorable and all crops sown early last fall are doing fairly well, but late sown grain in many places is in a precarious condition. "Much grain in the lower San Joaquin valley beyond redemption and must be cut for hay. The Pacific rural press estimates that the wheat yield will be about 92,000,000 bushels, a decrease from last year of 8,000,000 bushels.

VIOLATING INTERNATIONAL LAW.

Soldiers of Nicaragua Train a Big Gun on a Pacific Mail Steamship.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., May 23.—An incident that may lead to government inquiry was reported by a passenger on the Pacific mail steamer City of New York, Captain Johnson, which arrived this morning from Panama en route for San Francisco. On the passing down the steamer did not touch at San Juan del Sur because of the revolution in Nicaragua. On entering the port of Carinto the passengers were amazed to see soldiers training a big Krupp gun on the vessel from the government barracks all ready, as it was afterwards learned to touch it off. This is in direct violation of international courtesy. The government officers then boarded the vessel to search her, the supposition being she had touched at San Juan del Sur. The revolutionists to aid in seizing Carinto.

It is further learned that the same gun had been trained on the San Jose of that line on the "up" voyage. During the search there debarred the new American minister to Nicaragua, Salvador and Costa Rica, Mr. Louis Baker of St. Paul accompanied by his two daughters who had come from Panama.

The Lancia Race.

LATONIA, Ky., May 23.—Track fast—Six furlongs—Early lead, first, Golden Hind second, Hindoo third. Time—1:45.

One mile and seventy yards—Purcell first, Torrent Flower second, Delis third. Time—1:49.

Handicap, one mile—Semper Rex first, Silver second, Lake Breeze third. Time—1:43.

Five furlongs—Queenie first, Labelle second, Edith third. Time—1:04.

Six furlongs—Celine Horton first, Will Fonso second, Hossier third. Time—1:20.

Six furlongs—Espana first, Capt Reed second, Clara Reed third. Time—1:17.

The Gravesend Track.

GRAVESEND, May 23.—Fast track—Five furlongs—El Telegrafo first, Josie second, Salto third. Time—1:02.

One mile and a sixteenth—Reckon first, Bitten second, Stockton third. Time—1:48.

Five furlongs—Kentigern first, Clementine second, Miss Lilly third. Time—1:03.

Six furlongs—Miss Maude second, Grace Brown first, Miss second, Onward third. Time—1:14.

Six furlongs—Yorkville Belle first, Judge Morrow second, Chesapeake third. Time—1:14.

The St. Louis Track.

ST. LOUIS, May 23.—Track heavy.

Six furlongs—Maid of Honor first, Barr Hall second, Invercauld third. Time—1:21.

Five furlongs—J. W. Brooks first, Benita B. second, Benita third. Time—1:05.

Six and one-half furlongs—Pullman first, Hector second, Lady Usual third. Time—1:22.

Six furlongs—Minnie Cee first, Capt. Drake second, Costa Rica third. Time—1:20.

Six and one-half furlongs—Grey Duke first, Sall Ross second, Perkins third. Time—1:23.

Yesterday's Ball Games.

BROOKLYN—Brooklyn 9, Washington 1.

PITTSBURG—Pittsburg 8, St. Louis 4.

BOSTON—Boston 18, Philadelphia 8.

LOUISVILLE—Louisville 4, Cincinnati 8.

BALTIMORE—Baltimore 7, New York 5.

CHICAGO—Chicago 8, Cleveland 6.

Griffin and Smith Will Fight.

CHICAGO, May 23.—Jimmy Carroll of New York tonight signed articles for Johnny Griffin to fight Billy Smith before the Columbian Athletic club in this city to a finish, for a purse of \$6,000, the first week in July.

Frost in Kansas and Nebraska.

ATCHISON Kan., May 23.—There was a heavy frost along the central branch of railway last night. The thermometer registered 42 degrees and in the vicinity of Crete, Neb., dropped to 40. It is thought growing crops were damaged.

Joe Jefferson Ill.

BUZZARDS Bay, Mass., May 23.—Joseph Jefferson, the famous actor, is suffering from an abscess on the neck. He does not seem to rally. In view of his age, the family is much concerned at his condition, though hoping for the best.

Why Their Charter Was Annulled.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 23.—Commander-in-Chief Wessert of the Grand Army of the Republic said today the only cause of annulling the charter of Farham post of New York, was its disobedience of known laws of the grand army.

THE BRIGGS HERESY CASE.

Two Reports Submitted to the Presbyterian Assembly.

AN ANIMATED COLLOQUY.

The Accused Demands His Right to Be Heard.

Moderator Craig, However, Refuses Him the Right to Speak—The Assembly Will Be Turned Into a Judicial Court.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—The morning session of the Presbyterian general assembly plunged into the Briggs question immediately after prayer. Dr. Young, chairman of the committee on bills and overtures, took the floor to present a report distributing a number of bills and overtures to several committees. Among them were some bearing directly or indirectly upon the Briggs case before the judicial committee.

Rev. Booth of New York entered a protest against an obvious attempt to influence the judicial committee by pointing out to it these overtures for and against the case.

Professor Brown, Briggs' co-laborer and sympathizer, said: "We have the right to know the sentiment of the church upon any subject before it, and the only proper way to secure knowledge of that sentiment is through committees of the assembly."

Dr. Herrick Johnson of McCormick theological seminary, Chicago, one of the foremost Briggs leaders in the body, spoke briefly and Rev. Thomas G. Hall of Chicago said:

"The precedents and practices in civil courts have no weight with us. No court would have taken up the prosecution of an innocent man. Ecclesiastical precedents are overwhelmingly in favor of the right of the church to know the sentiment of the assembly. [Applause.] The recommendation of the committee was finally adopted by a decisive vote in the majority of the assembly."

The report of the committee on home missions was read and adopted.

Ex-Moderator Smith, president of the United Christian mission, organized for work in connection with the United States army, submitted a statement to the effect that the commission must discourage enlistment of the sons of Christian families in the army unless some safeguards now lacking are thrown around them. Gambling in the army is not prohibited either by law or regulation, and is encouraged by the example of officers and soldiers; the post canteen affords unrestricted opportunity for and inducement to drink. The architecture of the barracks places Christian soldiers at a fearful disadvantage, exposing them to the vice and indecencies of unreligious members of the rank and file. Sunday is not called for by any law or regulation, and is a fearful disadvantage, exposing them to the vice and indecencies of unreligious members of the rank and file. Sunday is not called for by any law or regulation, and is a fearful disadvantage, exposing them to the vice and indecencies of unreligious members of the rank and file.

The special order for the afternoon session was the report of the judicial committee in the Briggs case. Immediately after the opening prayer Dr. Baker, addressed the moderator and assembly as follows: "I am deeply indebted to you for one report would be presented by our committee, but in this I have been disappointed; but shall decide to finally reach whatever be the decision finally reached by the majority. Let us resolve that we will sternerly frown upon and utterly discountenance any suggestion from whatever quarter it may come, of schism or division in our dear church."

The majority report finds that the appeal was made in due time and submit resolutions that the appeal be entertained and three hours be allotted to the hearing and the assembly then vote on each party and the assembly then vote on each party and the assembly then vote on each party.

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the judgment notice of appeals. The appeals and specifications of errors alleged was read and after this was done by the clerk the court adjourned until 2:30 p. m. tomorrow afternoon and the assembly until 9:30 a. m.

Cumberland Presbyterian Assembly. LITTLE ROCK, May 23.—The Cumberland Presbyterian assembly today selected Eugene city, Or., as the next place of meeting. It was a contest between Eugene city, Mo., Bowling Green, Ky., and Chicago. Eugene city was selected on the second ballot.

DAMAGE SUITS.

The First of a Number Against the Hamburg-American Packet Co.

CHICAGO, May 23.—The first of the damage suits against the Hamburg-American Packet company for telling prospective cabin passengers that the Normania would carry no steerage on her memorable voyage last September was commenced today. It is that of Judge A. B. Beers, of Bridgeport, for \$10,000 damages. Beers, when called as a witness, described in graphic language the voyage, the deaths and burials at sea, the gruesome rumors that crept through the cabins that cholera raged in the steerage, and the harrowing experience that befell the passengers on the ship's arrival at New York.

At the same time, Dr. Smith is in a quandary. The United States, not Dr. Smith's opinion, has never officially recognized the provisional government now ruling in Hawaii. It is true that Minister Stevens recognized the new government, but from what Commissioner Blount has made public it is difficult to understand whether the present administration recognizes the provisional government or not.

Dr. Smith is therefore at a loss as to his future conduct. He proposes, however, bringing the San Francisco case as the minister from Hawaii to introduce him to Secretary Gresham as his successor and throw upon Gresham the responsibility of deciding upon the United States will recognize as minister from Hawaii.

HORRIBLE LYNCHING.

A Terrible Scene in a Michigan Town.

A Murderer Is Hanged, and His Body Afterwards Dragged Through the Mud by a Mob.

CORUNNA, Mich., May 23.—William Sullivan, a farm hand, who brutally murdered his employer, Layton Leech, and murdered assaulted the latter's wife, near Durand, recently, was taken from the jail by an immense mob at 9:30 this evening and lynched. All day crowds of men from Durand, Holly and other surrounding towns began to assemble until at 8 o'clock this evening more than 2,000 infuriated citizens had congregated around the jail with the intention of taking justice into their own hands. They secured the prisoner and strung him up afterwards shooting the body full of holes.

Just before he was taken from his cell Sullivan attempted to commit suicide by cutting his throat with a knife. His cell was broken open with a sledge hammer and a noose thrown about his neck and he was dragged through the street. Men struggled and fought and cursed for the privilege of helping tug at the rope which was thrown over a limb of a tree. With a sudden jerk, Sullivan, who was lying motionless and apparently unconscious on the ground, was raised to a sitting posture and then hoisted into the air.

A terrible scene followed. The body was pushed from hand to hand and several derv pocket-knives and lunged at the hanging corpse. The ropes began to tear the clothing and in a few moments only a shred of his shirt remained hanging from his shoulders.

When the body was lowered to the ground people of the mob which had been unable to get close enough to take a hand in the actual hanging, seized upon the rope and dragged the lifeless body through the streets and around the Court House square.

MYSTERIOUS SUICIDE.

A Man Giving His Residence as Denver Kills Himself in Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, O., May 23.—E. E. Towner, a middle-aged, handsome and well dressed man, blew out his brains with a revolver at the Hotelenden this evening. The story back of it is undoubtedly a startling one, and is enveloped in mystery. Today a looking woman went to the Kennard house and after engaging a room sent for an attorney. Colonel S. O. Winslow replied to her that he had no business with her. She was being pursued by Towner, who wanted to marry her, and threatened to shoot her out of the house and sent her to the Hotelenden.

Towner departed after asking for Mrs. Allen's name on the registers that of the person he was seeking. He then removed his effects from the Irving House, where he and Mrs. Allen had been stopping, and after engaging a room at the Hotelenden he died by his own hand and that Mrs. Brown would pay funeral expenses. He signed himself as P. E. Townsend on the register of the Hotelenden, and wrote his place of residence as Denver.

Mrs. Allen refused to be interviewed and the only means of identifying the man in the woman's declaration was an attorney that his name is Towner and that he has a brother at Kingfisher, Okla. Towner and Mrs. Allen traveled together from the west to Cleveland.

A SENSATIONAL TRIAL.

Three Men Arraigned in Cheyenne for the Larceny of a Diamond.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., May 23.—[Special.]—When Charles Hamilton, John Murray and Ed Marion were arraigned in the district court today to plead to the charge of the larceny of a diamond, Hamilton pleaded guilty while the other two asserted their innocence.

Marion is a brother of the Chicago alderman and will be strongly defended. Hamilton admits having swallowed the diamond during a struggle for its possession in the police station. What afterwards became of the stone he does not know, he says.

The trial promises to be very interesting as there is a woman implicated in the case, though not jointly indicted with the three men.

A WYOMING TRAGEDY.

Dad Champion Shot and Killed by Mike Shoney.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., May 23.—[Special.]—Late last evening "Dad" Champion was shot and killed by Mike Shoney. Shoney is foreman of the Lance Creek Cattle company near Lusk in Converse county and was with the invaders last spring, being acquitted with the others of the charge of murder.

The murdered man was a brother of Nate Champion, who was burned alive in his cabin by the invaders. The details of the killing have not arrived. Shoney is under arrest at Douglas.

Hanged by a Mob.

WYOMING, May 23.—Near Hazelhurst yesterday afternoon, Eph. Mercel, who murdered L. J. Brown and another negro, name unknown, was taken from jail and hanged by a mob.

The Dakota river is the longest un navigable river in the world—over 1,000 miles.

MINISTER FROM HAWAII.

Dr. Mott Smith Says Thurston Will Succeed Him.

WHO WILL BE RECOGNIZED?

The New Flagship of the North Atlantic Squadron.

Reasons Why the San Francisco Was Ordered from the Pacific—It Is to Show the East Excellent Naval Construction.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Dr. Mott Smith, who until recently has been recognized as the representative at Washington of whatever government there may be at Hawaii, has returned to the city. He confirmed the unofficial announcement that Lorin Thurston was appointed by the provisional government of Hawaii as its representative at Washington.

At the same time, Dr. Smith is in a quandary. The United States, not Dr. Smith's opinion, has never officially recognized the provisional government now ruling in Hawaii. It is true that Minister Stevens recognized the new government, but from what Commissioner Blount has made public it is difficult to understand whether the present administration recognizes the provisional government or not.

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THE SAN FRANCISCO.

Reasons Why She Is Ordered from the Pacific Coast.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—There have been some speculations in naval circles as to the purpose of Secretary Herbert in bringing the San Francisco around from the Pacific and making her the flagship of the North Atlantic squadron just at the time when to distribute the new vessels among stations. The reason is that the secretary of the navy is very proud of the beautiful white cruiser and wished her to take the position as flagship in the North Atlantic squadron for which she is admirably fitted so far as interior accommodations are concerned in order that in a conspicuous place she might be presented to the world as not only a visiting foreigner, but to people, and of the excellent naval construction that is possible on the Pacific coast.

OUR ROYAL GUESTS.

Infanta Eulalia Leaves Washington for New York on Thursday.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Princess Eulalia and minister this morning took a drive through the northwestern part of the city and this afternoon the royal party enjoyed a trolley trip to the cabin of John S. Bridges on the Potomac river. Duke Camarillo handled the reins. This evening the program for tomorrow, the evening of the band serenaded the Infanta. After four pieces were rendered the princess expressed a desire to hear the "Star Spangled Banner." During the rendition she appeared at the window and was greeted with cheers.

An excursion to Mount Vernon and a reception to the diplomatic corps in the evening is the program for tomorrow. It is expected the Infanta will leave Washington for New York Thursday morning next at 10 o'clock and leave New York for Chicago on the 30th inst.

COLUMBUS CARAVELS.

Arrangements Completed for Carrying Them from New York to Chicago.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—The navy department today completed arrangements for conveying the Columbus caravels, Santa Maria, Pinta and Nina from New York to Chicago. They will be towed from New York to the mouth of the St. Lawrence, and from there to Chicago. The service will cost about \$5,000. Commodore Geben will arrange for the trip to the mouth of the St. Lawrence, and the consul at Montreal will make arrangements for the cruise from there to Chicago.

A DIFFICULTY SETTLED.

Advices Show That Corea and Japan Have Kissed and Made Up.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Advices received at the state department are to the effect that the difficulty between Corea and Japan growing out of disagreement regarding import duties on grain have been settled. The Corea government finally agreed to give the Japanese government an indemnity of \$100,000 in claims to Japanese merchants, that sum being a compromise between that originally demanded by Japan and that offered by Corea.

Patents Issued Yesterday.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—[Special.]—Patents were issued today as follows: Utah—Christopher C. Reynolds, assignor of one-third, to E. Brown of Eldorado, wagon brake.

John W. Ash of Ogden, washing machine.

Charles G. Brown of Salt Lake, ore tank.

Idaho—William H. Shoemaker of Bay Horse, billiard cue.

Wyoming—William J. Colburn of Laramie, bridle bit.

Reports of Chinese Registration.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Reports from forty-four of sixty-three internal revenue districts show that 5,451 Chinese have registered. The largest registration is from a single district in Colorado, where 1,500 registered.

Third Auditor of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—The president today appointed Samuel Blackwell of Alabama third auditor of the treasury vice W. H. Hart of Indiana, resigned.

THE BUSINESS WORLD.

The Kimira, N. Y., National Bank Closes Its Doors.

ELMIRA, N. Y., May 23.—Elmira National bank closed its doors this morning as a result of the recent financial troubles. Colonel D. C. Robinson, bank examiner, last week reported the bank solvent in case Col. Robinson paid his liabilities. If not, the depositors would be paid in full and there would be a small loss to the stockholders. The suspension comes from a big loan of \$100,000 to the bank. It is given out that all depositors will be paid in full. Under the law time is demanded on all deposits over \$100.

A Blow at the Whisky Trust.

PEORIA, Ill., May 23.—The announcement of the withdrawal of the Monarch

distillery from the whisky trust was a staggerer for the trust officials. Today demand for the